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Key: H - high
L - low
a - asked price
b - bid price
=(equal sign) - split quotation
n - nominal quotation

The open contract figures shown in table 3 and subsequent tables are the aggregates of positions long (or short) carried on the books of clearing members.

Table 1. WHEAT: Volume of trading, Chicago Board of Trade,
January 1942

Date	Future			All futures
	May	July	September	
1942 January	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
Holiday				
2	4,446	1,409	193	6,048
3	5,538	1,278	119	6,935
Sunday				
5	3,820	1,316	141	5,277
6	4,518	1,412	202	6,132
7	4,071	1,026	136	5,233
8	3,924	669	78 L	4,671
9	3,253	591	96	3,940
10	4,038	1,042	110	5,190
Sunday				
12	12,262 H	3,737 H	784	16,783 H
13	10,785	3,190	474	14,449
14	6,106	1,624	180	7,910
15	5,653	2,009	221	7,883
16	3,604	913	119	4,636
17	2,021 L	558 L	98	2,677 L
Sunday				
19	2,703	753	147	3,603
20	3,654	910	287	4,851
21	4,810	1,297	380	6,487
22	4,643	1,521	466	6,630
23	6,628	2,433	597	9,688
24	3,864	1,144	461	5,489
Sunday				
26	5,832	1,801	930 H	8,593
27	5,095	2,001	599	7,695
28	7,380	2,951	811	11,142
29	3,565	1,132	358	5,055
30	4,177	917	403	5,497
31	4,141	1,188	428	5,757
Total				
January 1942	130,551	38,852	8,848	178,251
December 1941	174,552	35,474	244	1/ 222,000
January 1941	108,942	55,407	15,193	179,542

1/ Includes 11,730 December wheat future.

Table 2. WHEAT: Volume of trading, all futures combined, by markets,
January 1942

Date	Chicago Board of Trade	Minneapolis Chamber of Commerce	Kansas City Board of Trade	Other contract markets	Total
1942 January	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
Holiday					
2	6,048	791	895	266	8,000
3	6,935	868	1,049	259	9,111
Sunday					
5	5,277	1,765	1,252	213	8,507
6	6,132	1,186	895	263	8,479
7	5,233	904	1,047	249	7,433
8	4,671	869	896	247	6,683
9	3,940	675 L	587	209	5,411
10	5,190	782	722	215	6,909
Sunday					
12	16,783 H	3,329	2,041	522	22,675 H
13	14,449	3,595 H	2,348 H	660 H	21,052
14	7,910	2,274	1,144	314	11,642
15	7,883	1,345	967	415	10,610
16	4,636	1,059	567	291	6,553
17	2,677 L	838	429 L	175 L	4,119 L
Sunday					
19	3,603	914	620	229	5,366
20	4,851	1,177	858	291	7,177
21	6,487	1,375	994	378	9,234
22	6,630	1,067	925	382	9,004
23	9,688	2,296	1,612	494	14,090
24	5,489	1,922	705	333	8,449
Sunday					
26	8,593	1,881	1,526	460	12,460
27	7,695	2,109	1,073	622	11,499
28	11,142	1,481	1,532	565	14,720
29	5,055	1,096	581	357	7,089
30	5,497	945	1,098	379	7,919
31	5,757	1,884	862	387	8,890
Total					
January 1942	178,251	38,427	27,225	9,178	253,081
December 1941	222,000	31,923	31,184	9,287	294,394
January 1941	179,542	18,345	22,551	7,170	227,608

Table 3. WHEAT: Open contracts, Chicago Board of Trade,
January 1942

Date	Future			All futures
	May	July	September	
1942 January	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
Holiday				
2	30,807	7,074	286 L	38,167
3	30,856 H	7,114	377	38,347 H
Sunday				
5	30,445	7,336	440	38,221
6	29,819	7,013	479	37,311
7	29,399	7,282	525	37,206
8	28,726	7,206	540	36,472
9	28,451	7,201	567	36,219
10	28,138	7,242	566	35,946
Sunday				
12	26,976	6,905 L	847	34,728 L
13	27,106	7,024	926	35,056
14	27,039	7,260	982	35,281
15	26,736	7,761	1,052	35,549
16	26,136	7,752	1,052	34,940
17	26,030	7,735	1,069	34,834
Sunday				
19	26,125	7,816	1,145	35,086
20	25,819	7,784	1,232	34,835
21	26,158	8,064	1,392	35,614
22	26,223	8,230	1,581	36,034
23	26,122	8,602	1,671	36,395
24	25,980	8,589	1,837	36,406
Sunday				
26	25,866	9,060	1,992	36,938
27	25,363	9,166 H	2,087	36,616
28	24,902	8,927	2,193	36,022
29	24,700	8,826	2,249	35,775
30	24,704	8,858	2,289 H	35,851
31	24,346 L	8,793	2,256	35,395
Average				
January 1942	27,037	7,871	1,217	36,125
December 1941	34,158	7,258	87	1/ 42,434
January 1941	29,120	16,950	2,528	48,597

1/ Includes 980 average December wheat future.

Table 4. WHEAT: Open contracts, all futures combined, by markets,
January 1942

Date	Chicago Board of Trade	Minneapolis Chamber of Commerce	Kansas City Board of Trade	Other contract markets	Total
1942 January	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
Holiday					
2	38,167	14,719	8,299	2,442	63,627
3	38,347 H	14,525	8,173	2,407	63,452
Sunday					
5	38,221	14,418	8,084	2,410	63,133
6	37,311	14,394	8,143	2,390 L	62,238
7	37,206	14,286	8,173	2,397	62,062
8	36,472	14,130 L	8,129	2,419	61,150
9	36,219	14,252	8,065 L	2,430	60,964
10	35,946	14,205	8,093	2,452	60,696
Sunday					
12	34,728 L	15,042	8,292	2,469	60,531 L
13	35,056	15,724	8,444	2,557	61,781
14	35,281	15,700	8,582	2,585	62,148
15	35,549	15,784 H	8,514	2,598	62,445
16	34,940	15,770	8,534	2,607	61,851
17	34,834	15,771	8,530	2,603	61,738
Sunday					
19	35,086	15,707	8,613	2,587	61,993
20	34,835	15,675	8,600	2,544	61,654
21	35,614	15,604	8,512	2,565	62,295
22	36,034	15,636	8,584	2,579	62,833
23	36,395	15,424	8,703	2,565	63,107
24	36,406	15,310	8,745	2,565	63,046
Sunday					
26	36,938	15,202	8,905	2,579	63,684 H
27	36,613	15,313	9,045	2,605	63,579
28	36,022	15,397	9,298	2,612	63,329
29	35,775	15,360	9,433	2,657 H	63,225
30	35,851	15,385	9,615	2,653	63,504
31	35,395	15,770	9,729 H	2,612	63,506
Average					
January 1942	36,125	15,176	8,609	2,536	62,445
December 1941	42,434	14,997	9,128	2,416	68,975
January 1941	48,597	7,709	15,002	1,139	72,448

Table 5. WHEAT: High, low, and closing prices, three principal futures, Chicago Board of Trade, January 1942

Date	1942 May future			1942 July future			1942 September future		
	High	Low	Closing	High	Low	Closing	High	Low	Closing
January 1942	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents
Holiday									
2	128 1/8	127 1/8 L	128-28 1/8	129 1/8	128 1/8 L	129 1/8	130 5/8	129 5/8 L	130 5/8
3	129 1/4	128 1/4	129 1/8	150 3/8	129 3/8	130 1/8-1/4	131 7/8	130 5/8	131 7/8
Sunday									
5	129 5/8	128 1/2	128 1/2-5/8	130 3/4	129 5/8	129 5/8-3/4	132 1/2	131 1/8	131 1/8-1/4
6	129 1/2	128 1/2	129-29 1/8	130 1/2	129 1/2	130 1/8-1/4	131 7/8	130 7/8	131 1/2
7	129 1/2	128 7/8	129 1/8-1/4	150 7/8	130 1/4	130 3/8-1/2	152 3/8	131 5/8	131 3/4
8	129 1/4	128 1/8	128 1/2-5/8	130 1/2	129 1/2	129 3/4	131 5/8	131	131 1/4
9	129 1/8	128 3/8	128 3/4-7/8	130 1/4	129 3/4	130-30 1/8	131 5/8	131 1/4	131 1/2
10	129 3/4	129 1/8	129 1/4-3/8	131	150 1/2	130 5/8	132 1/2	132	132 1/4
Sunday									
12	135 3/8	130 1/4	133 1/4-3/8	135	131 3/4	134 7/8-35	136 1/2	132 3/4	136 3/8
13	132 1/4	130 3/8	150 5/8-3/4	134	132 1/8	132 1/4	135 1/8	133 3/4	133 3/4
14	131 1/4	130 1/4	131 1/8	132 5/8	131 5/8	132 1/2	134 3/8	133 1/4	134 1/8
15	131 7/8	130 5/8	130 7/8-31	133 1/2	132 1/8	132 3/8-1/2	135	133 3/4	133 7/8
16	131 3/8	130 3/4	150 7/8-31	132 7/8	132 1/8	132 1/4-3/8	134 3/8	133 1/2	133 7/8
17	131	130 1/2	131	132 1/2	131 7/8	132 3/8	133 7/8	133 1/2	133 7/8
Sunday									
19	131 1/4	130 1/2	130 1/2-5/8	132 1/2	131 7/8	131 7/8	134 1/8	133 3/8	133 3/8
20	130 3/4	130 1/8	130 5/8-3/4	132 1/8	131 1/2	132-32 1/8	133 1/2	132 7/8	133 1/2
21	131 5/8	130 5/4	131 3/8-1/2	133 1/8	132 1/4	132 7/8	134 5/8	133 7/8	134 1/2
22	131 7/8	131	131 1/2-5/8	133 1/2	132 3/8	132	134 7/3	134	134 3/4
23	132 5/8	131 3/4	132-32 1/4	134 1/2	133 5/8	133 5/8-3/4	135 7/8	135 1/8	135 5/8
24	135	131 3/4	152 7/8-33	134 1/2	133 1/4	134 3/8-1/2	136	135 1/8	136
Sunday									
26	133 5/8	132 7/8	133 1/8-1/4	135 3/8	134 1/2	134 3/4	136 7/8	136	136 1/2
27	134 1/8 H	132 5/8	132 7/8	134 5/8 H	134 1/8	134 3/8	137 1/4 H	135 3/4	135 3/4
28	131 7/8	130 3/8	130 3/4-7/8	133 1/4	131 5/8	132 1/8	134 5/8	133 1/8	133 1/2
29	131 1/8	130 1/4	130 7/8-31	132 5/8	131 3/4	132 3/8-1/2	134	133 3/8	133 7/8-34
30	131 7/8	130 7/8	131 1/8	133 3/8	132 1/2	132 5/8-3/4	134 7/8	133 7/8	134 1/4
31	130 7/8	129 5/8	130 3/8-1/2	132 3/8	131 1/4	131 7/8	133 5/8	132 1/2	133 3/8
Average (mo.)	131 1/8	130 1/8	130 5/8	132 5/8	131 1/2	132	134	133	133 5/8
Net change (mo)			+ 3 3/4			+ 4 1/4			+ 4 5/8
Highest price:	134 1/8 January 27, 1942			135 5/8 January 27, 1942			137 1/4 January 27, 1942		
Lowest price:	136 7/8 July 21, 1941			109 1/2 October 17, 1941			126 3/4 December 23, 1941		

Table 6. WHEAT: Daily closing prices at principal domestic and foreign markets, January 1942

Date	Chicago	Minneapolis	Kansas City	Duluth	Winnipeg 1/
	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents
January 1942					
Holiday					
2	128-28 1/8 L	123 1/8 L	122 1/8 L	115 5/8 b L	67 1/4 b L
3	129 1/8	124 1/2	123 1/2	116 5/8 b	67 3/4=b
Sunday					
5	128 1/2-5/8	124 1/8	123 1/8	116 1/8 b	67 5/8=
6	129-29 1/8	124 7/8	123 5/8	117 a	68 1/4 b
7	129 1/8-1/4	124 5/8	123 3/4-5/8	117 b	68 7/8 b
8	128 1/2-5/8	124 1/8	123	116 1/4 a	69 3/4=b
9	128 3/4-7/8	124 1/4	123 1/4	116 5/8 b	70 1/4=
10	129 1/4-3/8	124 7/8	123 3/4	117 1/4 a	70 b
Sunday					
12	133 1/4-3/8 H	128 3/8 H	127 5/8-7/8 H	120 7/8 b H	70 3/8
13	130 5/8-3/4	125 3/4	124 3/4	118 1/4 a	70= b
14	131 1/8	125 7/8	125 3/8	118 1/8 b	70 1/4
15	130 7/8-31	126 1/4	125 1/4	118 1/2 a	70 1/8=
16	130 7/8-31	126 1/8	125 1/4	118 3/8 b	69 7/8= b
17	131	126	125 3/8	118 1/8 b	70 1/8=
Sunday					
19	130 1/2-5/8	125 5/8	125	117 5/8	70 3/8
20	130 5/8-3/4	125 1/2-5/8	124 7/8	117 3/4 b	70 1/2=
21	131 3/8-1/2	126 1/2	125 3/4	118 5/8 b	70 5/8=
22	131 1/2-5/8	126 3/8	125 1/2	118 7/8 a	70 1/2=
23	132-32 1/4	127	125 7/8	119 3/8 a	71 1/8
24	132 7/8-33	127 5/8	126 5/8	120 1/4	71 1/4
Sunday					
26	133 1/8-1/4	127 3/4-7/8	126 3/4	120 3/4 b	71 1/8=
27	132 7/8	127 1/2 b	126 3/8	120 1/4 b	71=
28	130 3/4-7/8	125 3/8	124 3/4	118 b	70 3/4 b
29	130 7/8-31	125 1/2	124 3/4	118 1/8 b	71 1/8=
30	131 1/8	125 3/4	124 7/8	118 1/2 a	71 3/8 H
31	130 3/8-1/2	125	124 1/2	117 1/2	71 1/8
Range (mo.)	5 3/8	5 1/4	5 3/4	5 1/4	4 1/8
Net change (mo.)	+3 3/4	+3	+3 1/2	+3 3/8	+4 5/8
Average spread (over Chicago)					
(under Chicago)		4 7/8	5 3/4	12 1/2	60 1/2

1/ United States equivalent of Winnipeg quotations at current rates of exchange.

Table 7. CORN: Volume of trading, Chicago Board of Trade,
January 1942

Date	Future			All futures
	May	July	September	
1942 January	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
Holiday				
2	2,773	906	187	3,866
3	3,161	865	151	4,177
Sunday				
5	2,026	1,020	115	3,161
6	1,876	676	78	2,630
7	2,648	1,533	224	4,405
8	2,297	1,008	217	3,522
9	2,254	607	114	2,975
10	2,099	1,036	87	3,222
Sunday				
12	5,767	3,578	617	9,962
13	4,174	1,860	414	6,248
14	3,010	985	515	4,510
15	2,296	948	250	3,496
16	1,064	287 L	140	1,491
17	788 L	514	50 L	1,352 L
Sunday				
19	1,253	559	103	1,915
20	1,353	676	172	2,201
21	3,308	1,564	377	5,249
22	4,168	2,972	760	7,900
23	6,273	3,433	646	10,352
24	4,950	3,189	571	8,710
Sunday				
26	8,049 H	4,432 H	1,111	13,592 H
27	5,723	3,165	848	9,736
28	7,245	4,175	1,134 H	12,554
29	3,492	1,719	298	5,509
30	3,695	2,132	456	6,283
31	1,679	1,065	371	3,115
Total				
January 1942	87,423	44,704	10,006	142,133
December 1941	61,714	13,779	855	1/ 84,038
January 1941	30,768	9,298	2,567	42,633
1/ Includes 7,690 December corn future.				

Table 8. CORN: Volume of trading, all futures combined, by markets,
January 1942

Date	Chicago Board of Trade	Kansas City Board of Trade	Minneapolis Chamber of Commerce	Other contract markets	Total
1942 January	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
Holiday					
2	3,866	342	20	91	4,319
3	4,177	287	13	49	4,526
Sunday					
5	3,161	329	17	56	3,563
6	2,630	186	6 L	35	2,857
7	4,405	348	11	54	4,818
8	3,522	198	13	50	3,783
9	2,975	114	10	40	3,139
10	3,222	179	17	37	3,455
Sunday					
12	9,962	484	30	79	10,555
13	6,248	709	19	60	7,036
14	4,510	520	10	33	5,073
15	3,496	146	24	31	3,697
16	1,491	204	26	19	1,740
17	1,352 L	169	17	15 L	1,553 L
Sunday					
19	1,915	94 L	20	37	2,066
20	2,201	223	8	46	2,478
21	5,249	286	20	113	5,668
22	7,900	420	9	72	8,401
23	10,352	674	64	104	11,194
24	8,710	402	13	90	9,215
Sunday					
26	13,592 H	937 H	54	114	14,697 H
27	9,736	428	26	127	10,317
28	12,554	918	75 H	198 H	13,745
29	5,509	317	56	74	5,956
30	6,283	475	40	106	6,904
31	3,115	321	28	55	3,519
Total					
January 1942	142,135	9,710	646	1,785	154,274
December 1941	84,038	3,656	506	1,173	89,373
January 1941	42,633	1,915	2,220	236	47,004

Table 9. CORN: Open contracts, Chicago Board of Trade,
January 1942

Date	Future			All futures
	May	July	September	
1942 January	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
Holiday				
2	35,042	10,649 L	584 L	46,275 L
3	35,274	10,976	637	46,887
Sunday				
5	35,319	11,243	677	47,239
6	35,117	11,407	709	47,233
7	35,027 L	12,033	867	47,927
8	35,070	12,317	1,014	48,401
9	35,451	12,565	1,035	49,051
10	35,837	13,005	1,070	49,912
Sunday				
12	36,592	14,483	1,487	52,562
13	36,706	14,959	1,675	53,340
14	37,224	15,061	1,858	54,143
15	37,486	15,283	2,002	54,771
16	37,512	15,333	2,105	54,950
17	37,536	15,529	2,142	55,207
Sunday				
19	37,515	15,664	2,208	55,387
20	37,240	15,916	2,324	55,480
21	37,308	16,326	2,465	56,099
22	37,483	17,239	2,914	57,636
23	37,065	18,520	3,168	58,753
24	38,109	20,136	3,456	61,701
Sunday				
26	38,571	21,960	4,089	64,620
27	39,318 H	22,443	4,394	66,155 H
28	38,220	22,598	4,542	65,360
29	38,070	22,769	4,585	65,424
30	37,899	22,881 H	4,754 H	65,534
31	37,640	22,832	4,718	65,190
Average				
January 1942	36,909	16,313	2,365	55,586
December 1941	33,487	9,403	141	<u>1/</u> 43,602
January 1941	15,591	6,824	786	23,202

1/ Includes 610 average December corn future.

Table 10. CORN: Open contracts, all futures combined, by markets,
January 1942

Date	Chicago Board of Trade	Kansas City Board of Trade	Minneapolis Chamber of Commerce	Other contract markets	Total
1942 January	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
Holiday					
2	46,275 L	2,263 L	175	270 H	48,983 L
3	46,887	2,544	169	269	49,669
Sunday					
5	47,239	2,415	159	258	50,071
6	47,233	2,425	157	262	50,077
7	47,927	2,527	149	245	50,848
8	48,401	2,572	154	216	51,343
9	49,081	2,589	147	205	51,992
10	49,912	2,624	148	215	52,899
Sunday					
12	52,532	2,699	167	236	55,664
13	53,340	2,866	167	241	56,614
14	54,143	3,042	166	240	57,591
15	54,771	3,043	169	242	58,225
16	54,950	3,109	170	243	58,472
17	55,207	3,069	165	243	58,684
Sunday					
19	55,387	3,062	164	237	58,850
20	55,480	3,018	163	232	58,893
21	56,099	3,044	160	212	59,515
22	57,656	3,132	157	220	61,145
23	58,753	3,101	137 L	219	62,210
24	61,701	3,157	133	238	65,234
Sunday					
26	64,620	3,317	143	264	68,344
27	66,155 H	3,373	150	245	69,928 H
28	65,360	3,561	156	192	69,269
29	65,424	3,621	161	189 L	69,395
30	65,534	3,620	176	203	69,533
31	65,190	3,710 H	184 H	212	69,296
Average					
January 1942	55,586	2,973	160	233	58,952
December 1941	43,602	1,564	180	164	45,511
January 1941	23,202	1,291	1,210	102	25,804

Table 11. CORN: High, low, and closing prices, three principal futures, Chicago Board of Trade, January 1942

Date	1942 May future			1942 July future			1942 September future		
	High	Low	Closing	High	Low	Closing	High	Low	Closing
January 1942	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents
Holiday									
2	85 3/8	84 5/8 L	85 1/4 a	87 1/4	86 1/8 L	87	88 3/4	87 1/2 L	88 1/2
3	85 3/4	85 3/8	85 7/8-5/8	87 5/8	87 1/4	87 1/4	89	88 5/8	89 3/4 a
Sunday									
5	86	85 3/8	85 1/2	87 3/4	87 1/4	87 3/8-1/2	89 1/8	88 5/8	88 3/4-7/8
6	85 3/4	85 1/4	85 1/2-5/8	87 5/8	87 1/8	87 1/2 b	89	88 5/8	88 7/4
7	86	85 5/8	85 3/4-7/8	88	87 1/2	87 5/8-3/4	89 1/2	88	89 1/4
8	86	85 1/8	85 3/8-1/2	87 5/8	87	87 3/8-1/2	89 1/4	88 3/8	88 3/4
9	85 1/2	85 1/4	85 3/8-1/2	87 1/2	87 3/8	87 3/8	89	88 3/4	88 3/4
10	86	85 3/4	85 7/8-86	87 7/8	87 5/8	87 3/4-7/8	89 1/4	88 1/8	89 1/8
Sunday									
12	87 1/4	86 3/8	87 1/8-1/4	89	88 3/8	89	90 5/8	89 5/8	90 1/2
13	86 7/8	86	86 1/8	88 7/8	87 5/4	87 7/8-88	90 1/4	89 1/4	89 1/4
14	86 3/8	85 5/8	86 1/4-3/8	88	87 3/8	87 3/4-7/8	89 1/4	88 3/4	88 7/8 b
15	86 3/8	85 5/8	86-86 1/8	88	87 3/8	87 5/8-3/4	89	88 3/8	88 7/8 b
16	86 1/4	85 3/4	85 7/8-86	87 7/8	87 1/2	87 5/8 a	89 1/4	88 3/4	88 3/4
17	86 1/8	85 5/8	86 1/8 a	88	87 3/8	87 7/8 a	89 1/8	88 5/8	89 1/8 a
Sunday									
19	86 1/4	85 3/4	85 3/4	88	87 1/2	87 5/8 b	89 1/4	88 3/4	88 7/8 a
20	86	85 1/2	85 7/8-86	87 5/4	87 3/8	87 3/4 a	89 1/4	88 3/4	89 1/4
21	87 3/8	86 1/2	87 1/4-3/8	89 1/8	87 7/8	89	90 1/2	89 5/8	90 3/8 b
22	88	87	87 3/4	90	88 7/8	89 5/8-3/4	91 5/8	90 3/8	91 1/4
23	90	88 1/2	89 1/4-3/8	91 7/8	90 1/2	91 1/8-1/4	93 1/4	92	92 1/2-5/8
24	89 3/4	89	89 5/8-3/4	91 5/8	91 1/8	91 1/2-5/8	93	92 1/2	93
Sunday									
26	91 1/2 H	89 3/4	90 1/4-3/8	93 3/8 H	91 3/4	92 1/8-1/4	94 3/4 H	93 1/8	93 3/4
27	91	89 3/4	90 1/8-1/4	93 1/8	91 3/4	92 1/8-1/4	94 1/2	93 3/8	93 5/8
28	88	85 1/8	86 1/2-3/4	90	87 1/4	88 1/2-5/8	91 1/2	88 5/8	90
29	88	86 3/4	87 7/8-88	89 3/4	88 3/4	89 5/8-3/4	91 1/4	90 3/8	91 1/8
30	89 1/8	88 1/8	88 5/8-3/4	91	89 7/8	90 3/8-1/2	92 5/8	91 1/2	91 7/8-82
31	88 1/2	87 5/8	87 7/8-88	90 1/8	89 3/8	89 1/2-3/4	91 5/8	90 3/4	91
Average (mo.):	87 1/4	86 3/8	86 7/8	89 1/8	88 1/4	88 3/4	90 1/2	89 5/8	90 1/8
Net change (mo)			+4			+3 7/8			+4 1/4
Highest price:	91 1/2 Sept. 12, 1941; Jan. 26, 1942:	93 3/8 Jan. 26, 1942:		93 3/8 Jan. 26, 1942:			94 3/4 Jan. 26, 1942		
Lowest price:	72 3/4 October 16, 1941			74 1/2 October 16, 1941			84 5/8 December 23, 1941		

Table 12. CORN: Daily closing prices, Chicago,
Kansas City, and Minneapolis,
January 1942

Date	1942 May future		
	Chicago	Kansas City	Minneapolis
1942 January	Cents	Cents	Cents
Holiday			
2	85 1/4 a L	80 1/8 L	78 1/4 L
3	85 3/8-5/8	80 1/2	78 3/4 a
Sunday			
5	85 1/2	80 3/8	78 5/8 a
6	85 1/2-5/8	80 5/8	78 3/4 b
7	85 3/4-7/8	80 3/4	79 1/8 b
8	85 5/8-1/2	80 3/8	78 5/8 b
9	85 3/8-1/2	80 5/8	78 3/4
10	85 7/8-86	81 1/4	79 1/3 a
Sunday			
12	87 1/8-1/4	82 3/4	80 1/2 b
13	86 1/8	80 7/8	79 1/8 a
14	86 1/4-3/8	81 1/4	79 1/2 a
15	86-86 1/3	81 1/4	79 1/4 b
16	85 7/8-86	81 1/4	79 1/8
17	86 1/8 a	81 1/4	79 1/4 b
Sunday			
19	85 3/4	81	79
20	85 7/8-86	81	78 7/8 a
21	87 1/4-3/8	82 1/4	80 3/2 b
22	87 3/4	82 5/8	80 3/4 a
23	89 1/4-3/8	83 7/8	82 1/2 a
24	89 5/8-3/4	84 7/8	82 5/8 a
Sunday			
26	90 1/4-3/8 H	85 1/4	83 1/2 a H
27	90 1/6-1/4	85 3/8 F	83 1/2 b
28	86 1/2-3/4	82 1/8	79 7/8 b
29	87 7/8-88	83 1/8	80 3/4 b
30	88 5/8-3/4	85 7/8	81 7/8 b
31	87 7/8-88	83 3/8	81 1/8 a
Range (mo.)	5 1/8	5 1/4	5 1/4
Net change (mo.)	+4	+4 3/8	+4 1/4
Average spread (over Chicago under Chicago)		4 7/8	6 7/8

Table 13. OATS: Volume of trading, all futures combined, by markets,
January 1942

Date	Chicago Board of Trade	Minneapolis Chamber of Commerce	Other contract markets	Total
1942 January	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
Holiday				
2	1,178	338	17	1,533
3	1,197	229	8	1,434
Sunday				
5	1,230	186	18	1,434
6	1,472	233	17	1,722
7	1,638	246	24	1,908
8	1,908	157	15	2,080
9	1,020	132	13	1,165
10	1,012	261	2	1,275
Sunday				
12	2,607	270	37	2,914
13	2,005	268	26	2,319
14	998	222	32	1,252
15	1,186	277	---	1,463
16	899	124 L	---	1,023
17	576 L	169	--- L	745 L
Sunday				
19	1,303	238	2	1,543
20	976	260	16	1,252
21	1,267	284	19	1,570
22	1,752	203	21	1,976
23	2,814 H	406	22	3,242 H
24	1,389	225	59 H	1,673
Sunday				
26	2,419	318	7	2,744
27	1,777	248	9	2,034
28	1,986	377	16	2,379
29	1,041	513 H	10	1,564
30	969	225	33	1,227
31	934	432	5	1,371
Total				
January 1942	37,553	6,661	428	44,842
December 1941	36,698	8,297	300	47,295
January 1941	9,832	3,900	66	13,798

Table 14. OATS: Open contracts, all futures combined, by markets,
January 1942

Date	Chicago Board of Trade	Minneapolis Chamber of Commerce	Other contract markets	Total
1942 January	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
Holiday				
2	12,105 L	2,169	178	14,452 L
3	12,179	2,204	182	14,565
Sunday				
5	12,410	2,202	176	14,788
6	12,467	2,221	186 H	14,874
7	12,557	2,186	184	14,927
8	12,545	2,184	179	14,908
9	12,524	2,201	174	14,899
10	12,575	2,113	172	14,860
Sunday				
12	12,616	2,125	158	14,899
13	12,438	2,110 L	161	14,709
14	12,395	2,144	157	14,696
15	12,406	2,144	157	14,707
16	12,454	2,145	157	14,756
17	12,453	2,161	157	14,771
Sunday				
19	12,456	2,198	157	14,811
20	12,486	2,218	157	14,861
21	12,621	2,278	142	15,041
22	12,723	2,343	143	15,209
23	12,636	2,317	142	15,095
24	12,853 H	2,389	107	15,349 H
Sunday				
26	12,518	2,471	104	15,093
27	12,515	2,469	101 L	15,085
28	12,382	2,423	107	14,912
29	12,465	2,582 H	108	15,155
30	12,485	2,576	110	15,171
31	12,269	2,311	115	14,695
Average				
January 1942	12,482	2,265	149	14,896
December 1941	13,346	2,351	172	15,868
January 1941	9,169	2,931	106	12,206

Table 15. OATS: Daily closing prices, Chicago, Minneapolis, and Winnipeg, January 1942

Date	1942 May future		
	Chicago	Minneapolis	Winnipeg 1/
1942 January	Cents	Cents	Cents
Holiday			
2	57-57 1/8 L	53 3/8 L	41 3/4 L
3	57 3/8	53 7/8	41 7/8
Sunday			
5	57 1/4-3/8	53 5/8 b	41 7/8=
6	58	54 1/4	43=
7	58 3/4 a	54 7/8	43 1/4= b
8	58 1/2 a	54 5/8 b	43 5/8=
9	58 5/8 b	54 3/4	43 3/4= b
10	58 3/4 a	55	43 3/4 b
Sunday			
12	59 7/8-60	56 1/4 H	44
13	58 7/8	55	43 7/8=
14	59 3/8 a	55 3/8	43 3/4=
15	59 5/8 a	55 3/4	43 5/8= b
16	59 3/8-1/2	55 5/8 a	43 1/2= b
17	59 3/4 a	55 7/8	43 3/4
Sunday			
19	59 b	55 3/8	43 3/4= b
20	59 1/4 a	55 1/4	43 7/8
21	59 1/2-5/8	55 3/4	43 3/4= b
22	59 1/2 b	55 3/4	43 7/8= b
23	59 7/8 a	55 7/8	44 7/8
24	59 7/8-60	56 b	44 7/8
Sunday			
26	60 1/2 a H	56 1/8 a	44 7/8=
27	59 1/2-5/8	55 1/2	45 1/4 b
28	58 1/4 b	54 1/2	45=
29	59	54 7/8 b	45 3/8 b H
30	59 1/2	55 1/8 b	45 1/4= b
31	58 1/2 a	54 3/4	45 1/4 b
Range (no.)	3 1/8	2 7/8	3 5/8
Net change (mo.)	+2 5/8	+2 1/2	+2 5/8
Average spread (over Chicago)			
(under Chicago)		3 7/8	15 1/8

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Table 16. RYE, BARLEY, and FLAXSEED: Volume of trading, all futures combined,
Chicago, and Minneapolis,
January 1942

Date	RYE		BARLEY	FLAXSEED
	Chicago	Minneapolis	Minneapolis	Minneapolis
1942	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
January	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>
Holiday				
2	2,336	265	28	135
3	2,633	335	5	127.5
Sunday				
5	3,358	355	13	127
6	2,407	285	42	50.5
7	3,757	277	14	41 L
8	3,148	466	5	43
9	2,479	294	2	71
10	2,917	244	---	64
Sunday				
12	6,312	420	18	130.5
13	4,902	545	28	112
14	3,943	275	20	121.5
15	3,401	415	4	109
16	2,050	215	3	215
17	1,119 L	146 L	---	139
Sunday				
19	2,394	280	16	133.5
20	2,745	268	9	146.5
21	3,091	206	14	251.5 H
22	6,554	336	11	192.5
23	8,058	313	71 H	198
24	4,843	270	27	106
Sunday				
26	8,506	472	43	148
27	7,724	366	22	115
28	11,831 H	710 H	33	106
29	4,869	506	20	85.5
30	6,331	468	2	109.5
31	4,134	300	--- L	64.5
Total				
January 1942	115,842	9,055	450	3,142.5
December 1941	32,633	4,298	318	2,297.5
January 1941	8,015	3,033	75	2,495

Table 17. RYE, BARLEY, and FLAXSEED: Open contracts, all futures combined,
Chicago, and Minneapolis,
January 1942

Date	RYE		BARLEY	FLAXSEED
	Chicago	Minneapolis	Minneapolis	Minneapolis
1942	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
January	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels
Holiday				
2	19,779 L	2,194	271	2,223.5 H
3	19,794	2,213	271	2,170.5
Sunday				
5	20,031	2,133 L	259	2,147.5
6	20,207	2,177	262	2,138.5
7	20,558	2,150	262	2,133
8	20,900	2,193	262	2,113.5
9	21,246	2,201	260	2,084.5
10	21,272	2,201	260	2,070.5
Sunday				
12	21,713	2,205	260	2,070
13	21,886	2,199	259	2,043.5
14	22,082	2,187	249	2,024.5
15	23,064	2,196	250	2,029
16	23,341	2,191	248	2,017.5
17	23,268	2,201	248	2,012
Sunday				
19	23,469	2,223	250	1,968.5
20	23,823	2,156	248 L	1,923
21	24,061	2,193	255	1,857.5
22	24,124	2,135	259	1,893
23	24,492	2,160	266	1,846.5
24	24,887	2,141	264	1,821
Sunday				
26	25,267	2,167	273 H	1,787
27	25,724	2,131	266	1,759.5 L
28	25,860	2,208	263	1,760
29	26,121	2,242	272	1,762.5
30	26,765 H	2,272 L	271	1,770.5
31	26,707	2,252	271	1,761
Average				
January 1942	23,095	2,191	261	1,969
December 1941	19,442	1,943	236	2,597
January 1941	18,027	3,383	150	1,579

Table 18. PYB, BAPLEY, and FLAYSPPD: Daily closing prices at Chicago, Minneapolis, and Winnipeg, January 1942

Date	PYB			BAPLEY			FLAYSPPD		
	1942 May future			1942 May future			1942 May future		
	Chicago	Minneapolis	Winnipeg	Chicago	Minneapolis	Winnipeg	Chicago	Minneapolis	Winnipeg
January 1942	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents
Holiday									
2	76 5/8 a L	72 3/8 b L	55 3/4 b L	62 1/2 L	52 3/4= b L	208	139 1/4=		
3	77 3/8-1/2	73 1/4	55 3/4= b	63 a	52 7/8= b	210 1/2	138 7/8 b		
Sunday									
5	78 1/4	74	55 7/8=	63	53 1/8	206 1/4 L	138		L
6	78 7/8 b	74 3/8 b	56 5/8=	63 3/4 b	53 5/4	207	139 1/2=		
7	80 1/8-1/4	75 7/8 b	56 7/8 b	64	53 7/8= b	208 1/4	139 3/4		
8	79 1/8-1/4	74 7/8 b	57 1/2 b	64 b	54 1/4=	207	140 5/8=		
9	79 7/8-80	75 1/2	57 7/8= b	64 1/2 a	54 1/2 b	206 1/2	141 1/4= b		
10	81 3/8-1/2	77 3/4	57 7/8= b	64 1/2 b	54 3/4=	208 1/2	141		
Sunday									
12	85 3/4-86	81 7/8 a	58 3/4= b	66 1/4 b	55= b	212	141 5/8		
13	84-84 1/8	79 1/2	58 1/2=	65 b	54 5/8=	209	140 1/2 b		
14	85 1/8-1/4	80 1/2 b	58 7/8= b H	64 7/8 b	54 3/8=	210 1/4	140 7/8= b		
15	85 1/8-1/4	80 5/8 a	58 7/8 b	65 1/4 b	54 3/8	211	140 7/8= b		
16	84 3/4 b	80 3/8 b	58 5/8 b	65 1/4 a	54 1/2= b	215	143 3/8		
17	85 1/8-1/4	80 3/8	58 5/8 b	65 1/4 b	54 7/2	217 1/4	143 1/4		
Sunday									
19	84-84 1/2	79 7/8	58 5/8= b	64 3/4 a	55 1/2=	218 1/4	143 b		
20	83 7/8-34	79 5/8	58 7/8 b	64 1/8 a	55= b	215 1/2	143 3/8		
21	85 1/4	80 7/8 a	58 3/4= b	65 b	55 1/8	214 1/2	143 1/2=		
22	86 5/8-3/4	82 3/8	58 1/2= b	65 1/4 b	55 1/4	212	142 5/8=		
23	88-88 1/4	83 3/4	58 3/4= b	66 1/4 a	56 1/8	219	144 3/4 b		
24	89 1/2-5/8	84 7/8 b	58 3/4= b	66 7/8 b	53 1/4	221 1/2	143 7/8		
Sunday									
26	91 5/8-3/4 H	87 1/8 a H	58 5/8= b	67 3/4 b H	56 3/8	223 H	144 1/2 b		
27	91 1/8-1/4	86 5/8 b	58 5/8= b	67 1/2	56 3/4= b	222 3/4	144 1/2 b		
28	86 1/2-3/4	82 3/8	58 5/8= b	66 1/4 a	57= b	220	144 1/2 b		
29	86 3/8	82 1/8	58 5/8= b	65 7/8 a	57= b	219 1/4	144 1/2 b		
30	87 1/2-3/4	83 3/8	58 3/4= b	66 3/8 b	57 1/8 b	222 3/4	144 3/4 b		
31	86 1/4-3/8	81 3/4 b	58 3/4= b	65 7/8 b	57 1/8 b H	220 3/4	144 3/4 b		
Range (mo.)	15 1/8	14 3/4	3 1/8=	5 1/4	4 1/4=	16 3/4	6 3/4		
Net change (mo.)	+13 1/2	+12 1/2	+4 3/4	+2 3/8	+5	+16 1/4	+7 1/8		
Average close	84 1/4	79 7/8	58 1/8	65 1/8	55 1/8	211 1/4	142 1/4		

1/ United States equivalent of Winnipeg quotations at current rates of exchange.

Table 19. SOYBEANS: Volume of trading, Chicago Board of Trade,
January 1942.

Date	Future					All futures
	January	February	May	July	October	
1942 January	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
Holiday						
2	---		1,584	271	2	1,857
3	---		851	269	---	1,120
Sunday						
5	---		1,383	446	7	1,836
6	---		1,272	211	---	1,483
7	---		1,044	331	1	1,376
8	---		699 L	165	---	864 L
9	---		1,739	383	2	2,124
10	---		724	164 L	11	899
Sunday						
12	---		1,487	395	3	1,885
13	---		1,020	304	2	1,326
14	---		892	232	1	1,125
15	---		1,371	357	1	1,729
16	---		1,117	270	1	1,388
17	---		806	211	---	1,017
Sunday						
19	---		747	198	--- L	945
20	---		1,369	307	6	1,682
21	---		1,599	384	2	1,985
22	---		1,835	549	10	2,394
23	---		1,939 H	766 H	5	2,710
24	<u>1/</u> ---		1,567	580	61	2,208
Sunday						
26	---		1,626	516	58	2,200
27	---		1,457	531	280 H	2,268
28	---		1,582	573	169	2,324
29	---	50 H	1,232	412	119	1,813
30	---	---	1,927	722	168	2,817 H
31	---	--- L	1,060	353	116	1,529
Total						
January 1942	---	50	33,929	9,900	1,025	44,904
December 1941	11	---	31,969	6,119	11	<u>2/</u> 44,826
January 1941	---	---	31,971	8,913	---	40,884

1/ No trading on the last seven days of the delivery month.

2/ Includes 6,716 December soybean future.

Table 20. SOYBEANS: Open contracts, Chicago Board of Trade,
January 1942

Date	Future						All futures
	January	February	May	July	October		
1942 January	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
Holiday							
2	5		5,176	1,659	5		6,845
3	5		5,199	1,712	5 L		6,921
Sunday							
5	5		5,169	1,675	11		6,860
6	5		5,202	1,662	11		6,900
7	5		5,298 H	1,728	11		7,042 H
8	5		5,284	1,693	11		6,993
9	5		5,259	1,538	11		6,813
10	5		5,209	1,508	11		6,733
Sunday							
12	5		4,990	1,464	10		6,489
13	5		4,977	1,483	12		6,477
14	5		4,893	1,428 L	13		6,339 L
15	5 H		4,992	1,471	12		6,480
16	---		4,920	1,514	12		6,446
17	---		4,872	1,522	12		6,406
Sunday							
19	---		4,899	1,562	12		6,473
20	---		4,861	1,574	12		6,447
21	---		4,854	1,652	12		6,518
22	---		4,791	1,652	15		6,458
23	---		4,787	1,574	15		6,376
24	---		4,853	1,630	40		6,523
Sunday							
26	---		4,903	1,717	63		6,683
27	---		4,793	1,769	225		6,787
28	---		4,696 L	1,724	293		6,713
29	---	50	4,782	1,793	288		6,913
30	---	50	4,701	1,840 H	281		6,872
31	--- L	50	4,700	1,834	305 H		6,889
Average							
January 1942	2	50	4,964	1,631	66		6,669
December 1941	10	---	5,389	1,369	4	1/	7,598
January 1941	---	---	6,238	1,684	---		7,922

1/ Includes 836 average December soybean future.

Table 21 SOYBEANS: High, low, and closing prices, three principal futures, Chicago Board of Trade, January 1942

Date	1942 May future			1942 July future			1942 October future		
	High	Low	Closing	High	Low	Closing	High	Low	Closing
January 1942	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents
Holiday									
2	183 3/8	181 1/8	183-83 1/4	184 5/4	182 1/2	184 3/8 a			
3	185 3/8	182	182 7/8-85	184 7/8	183 1/2	184 1/2			
Sunday									
5	185 1/4	180 1/4	180 1/4	185	181 7/8	181 7/8-82			
6	183	179 1/2 L	181 1/2	184 1/2	181 3/4 L	183			
7	183	181 5/8	182 1/2-5/8	184 5/8	183 1/2	184 1/2			
8	182 3/8	181 3/8	182	184 1/8	183 3/8	184			
9	184 3/8	181 3/4	183 5/8-3/4	186 1/2	183 5/8	185 5/8 a			
10	185 1/8	184	184-84 1/4	187 1/8	185 3/4	185 3/4 a			
Sunday									
12	190 1/8	185 1/2	190 1/8	191 3/4	187 1/2	191 3/4 b			
13	188 1/2	186 1/2	186 7/8-87	190 1/8	188 3/4	189 1/8 a			
14	187 5/8	185 1/2	187 1/8-1/4	189 1/4	187 3/4	189 1/8			
15	190 1/8	187 1/4	189 1/4-3/8	192 1/8	189 1/4	191 1/4			
16	190 5/8	189	189	192 3/8	190 3/4	190 3/4-7/8			
17	189 1/2	187 5/8	189 3/8-1/2	191 3/8	189 1/2	191 3/8			
Sunday									
19	190 7/8	189 3/4	190-90 1/8	192 3/4	191 3/4	191 3/4			
20	192	189 3/4	191 7/8-92	193 5/8	191 1/2	193 5/8			
21	195 5/8	192 7/8	195	197 1/4	194 5/8	196 3/4			
22	198	193 5/8	197 1/8-1/4	199 1/2	195 1/8	198 5/8			
23	198 5/8	195 1/4	195 1/4-3/8	200 1/8	196 3/4	196 3/4			
24	199 7/8	195 1/4	198 7/8-99	201 1/4	197 3/8	200 1/2	196 1/2	193 1/4 L	195 5/8 a
Sunday									
26	202 5/8	199	201 1/4	204 5/8	200 3/4	202 1/4	199	197 1/8	199 a
27	201 3/4	199	201 1/4-1/2	203 1/2	201	203 1/4-3/8	200 3/4	196 1/2	200 1/2
28	199	196	197 1/4-3/8	201 1/4	197 1/2	199 1/4-3/8	199 7/8	196 1/2	196 3/4 a
29	200 3/4	197 1/4	199 7/8	202 3/4	199 1/2	202 1/4-3/8	200	197 3/4	199 3/4 b
30	203 1/2 H	200	200 1/8-1/4	205 1/2 F	202 1/4	202 5/8-3/4	203	200 1/8	200 1/2
31	199 3/4	197 1/4	198 5/8-3/4	201 3/4	200 1/4	200 3/4-201	200	198 1/4	199 1/4
Average (mo.)	191 3/4	189 1/8	190 3/4	193 1/2	191	192 1/2	199 7/8	197 1/8	198 3/4
Net change (mo)			+19 1/2			+20 1/8			---
Highest price:	203 1/2 January 30, 1942			205 1/2 January 30, 1942			203 January 30, 1942		
Lowest price:	139 3/4 July 30, 1941			156 October 28, 1941			178 5/8 January 24, 1942		

Table 22. ALL GRAINS: Volume of trading on all contract markets,
January 1942

Market	Wheat	Corn	Oats	Rye	Barley	Flaxseed	Soybeans
	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
Chicago Bd. of T.	178,251	142,133	37,553	115,842	---	---	44,904
Chicago Open Bd.	6,383	1,656	220	828	---	---	1,701
Minneapolis	38,427	646	6,861	9,055	450	3,142.5	---
Kansas City	27,225	9,710	---	---	---	---	---
Duluth	2,424	---	---	---	---	---	---
St. Louis	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Milwaukee	207	129	208	402	---	---	---
Seattle	164	---	---	---	---	---	---
Portland	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
San Francisco	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Los Angeles	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Total, all markets							
January 1942	253,081	154,274	44,842	126,127	450	3,142.5	46,605
December 1941	294,394	89,373	47,295	37,275	318	2,297.5	45,975
January 1941	227,608	47,004	13,798	11,119	75	2,495	41,878

Table 23. ALL GRAINS: Open contracts on all contract markets,
close of last trading day,
January 1942

Market	Wheat	Corn	Oats	Rye	Barley	Flaxseed	Soybeans
	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
Chicago Bd. of T.	35,395	65,190	12,269	26,707	---	---	6,889
Chicago Open Bd.	371	168	38	81	---	---	152
Minneapolis	15,770	184	2,311	2,252	271	1,761	---
Kansas City	9,729	3,710	12	---	---	---	---
Duluth	1,831	---	---	---	---	---	---
St. Louis	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Milwaukee	46	44	65	53	---	---	---
Seattle	354	---	---	---	---	---	---
Portland	10	---	---	---	---	---	---
San Francisco	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Los Angeles	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Total, all markets							
January 1942	63,506	69,296	14,695	29,093	271	1,761	7,041
December 1941	64,165	48,365	14,341	22,017	247	2,259	7,129
January 1941	72,578	25,037	12,051	17,186	141	1,434	8,895

Table 24. ALL GRAINS: Value of open contracts on all contract markets, close of last trading day,
January 1942

Market	Wheat	Corn	Oats	Rye	Barley	Flaxseed	Soybeans	Total
	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars
Chicago Board of Trade	46,376	57,880	7,150	23,349	---	---	13,730	148,485
Chicago Open Board	486	149	22	71	---	---	503	1,031
Minneapolis Chamber of Commerce	19,785	149	1,264	1,849	179	3,890	---	27,116
Kansas City Board of Trade	12,126	3,113	7	---	---	---	---	15,246
Duluth Board of Trade	2,152	---	---	---	---	---	---	2,152
St. Louis Merchants Exchange	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Milwaukee Grain & Stock Exchange	60	39	38	46	---	---	---	183
Seattle Grain Exchange	372	---	---	---	---	---	---	372
Portland Grain Exchange	10	---	---	---	---	---	---	10
San Francisco Grain Exchange	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Los Angeles Grain Exchange	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Total, all markets	81,367	61,330	8,481	25,315	179	3,890	14,033	194,595

Table 25. 1941 DECEMBER FUTURE: Deliveries of grain, flaxseed, and soybeans on all contract markets

Commodity and market				Total deliveries as percentage of:		
	Initial deliveries	Redeliveries	Total deliveries	Maximum open contracts	Contracts open at beginning of future	Notices passed
	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	Percent	Percent	1,000 bushels
<u>WHEAT</u>						
Chicago Bd. of T.	2,251	2,577	4,828	15.78	53.71	1,858
Chicago Open Bd.	---	---	---	---	---	---
Kansas City	701	295	996	9.77	35.38	391
Minneapolis	1,143	289	1,432	11.19	79.16	286
Duluth	159	13	172	9.61	77.13	---
Seattle	23	---	23	6.97	63.89	---
Portland	---	---	---	---	---	---
Milwaukee	---	---	---	---	---	---
Total	4,277	3,174	7,451	13.26	53.35	2,335
<u>CORN</u>						
Chicago Bd. of T.	1,179	2,042	3,221	17.54	59.31	810
Chicago Open Bd.	---	---	---	---	---	---
Kansas City	45	---	45	16.98	58.44	15
Milwaukee	---	---	---	---	---	---
Minneapolis	4	---	4	2.12	26.67	---
Total	1,228	2,042	3,270	17.23	58.94	825
<u>OATS</u>						
Chicago Bd. of T.	751	1,698	2,449	25.30	89.02	449
Chicago Open Bd.	---	---	---	---	---	---
Minneapolis	113	32	145	5.90	40.28	---
Milwaukee	---	---	---	---	---	---
Kansas City	---	---	---	---	---	---
Total	864	1,730	2,594	20.97	81.96	449
<u>RYE</u>						
Chicago Bd. of T.	1,660	2,142	3,802	28.07	81.24	671
Chicago Open Bd.	---	---	---	---	---	---
Minneapolis	273	8	281	14.70	70.43	67
Milwaukee	---	---	---	---	---	---
Total	1,933	2,150	4,083	26.14	80.09	738
<u>BARLEY</u>						
Minneapolis	31	21	52	13.98	69.33	2
<u>FLAXSEED</u>						
Minneapolis	282	51	333	11.91	88.21	56.5
<u>SOYBEANS</u>						
Chicago Bd. of T.	583	554	1,137	19.86	41.42	125
Chicago Open Bd.	---	---	---	---	---	---
Total	583	554	1,137	19.41	41.20	125



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